

**MESCALERO APACHE TRIBE**  
**Job Announcement**

**Date Opened:** August 14, 2019  
**Closing Date:** Open Until Filled  
**Salary:** Depends on Experience

**Job Summary**

Prosecutes individuals accused of violating Tribal laws. Works closely with local BIA and Tribal Law Enforcement and federal agencies. Works closely with Tribal Probation Office. Litigates jury and non-jury trials, drafts motions and other pleadings and legal memoranda. Ensures that due process and the rights of criminal defendants and victims are protected. Oversees and mentors Assistant Prosecutors. Prepares budget recommendations and implements the approved. Seeks grant funding to support Office functions. A complete position description will be provided upon request.

**Minimum Qualifications**

- Juris Doctorate from an accredited law school.
- License to practice and in good standing in New Mexico or another state.
- Five years' experience as a prosecutor; experience as a prosecutor in a tribal court preferred. One year in a lead or supervisory capacity.
- Familiarity with federal Indian law preferred.
- Must have a valid NM Driver's License.
- Must successfully pass a pre-employment drug/alcohol screen and background investigation.

*Tribal preference and Native American Indian preference shall apply.*

**Submission & Questions**

Please submit resumes and questions to Myra LaPaz at Human Resources: via telephone at (575) 464-4494 or via email at [mlapaz@mescaleroapachetribe.com](mailto:mlapaz@mescaleroapachetribe.com).